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1. A tank factory is being built near the village of Licki Osik, Yugoslavia, which is a short distance north of Gospić in the Lika. The factory is located a few kilometers from the railroad station at Licki Osik. A rail spur has been constructed from the Licki Osik Station to the site of the new factory, and is used for transporting construction materials.
2. About 3,000 army laborers are currently employed on the construction of the tank factory. All workers wear military clothing and are commanded by an unidentified infantry major. Four large buildings for machinery have already been constructed. Houses are also being built near the factory site as living quarters for the men who eventually will work in the factory.
3. The army workers now employed on this project are scheduled to be relieved on 15 December 1951 and be replaced by another group. The machines and equipment for the tank factory have not been delivered as yet.

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